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U. S. TROOPS JOIN BRITISH HUNS ADVANCE 5500 YARDS

Aero Program Misrepresented—283 U. S. Men Fall—Senate Passes Sedition Bill

AMERICAN TROOPS ON BRITISH FRONT

LONDON, April 10.—American troops have reached the British battle front in France, according to information from France this afternoon. The first contingent consisted of infantrymen, aviators and engineers, it was said.

The Germans captured a considerable part of Ploegsteert wood," General Maurice said "In the fighting yesterday, the enemy advanced in the center to a depth of 5500 yards," said General Maurice. "It is quite certain we lost some guns. In an advance of such a depth, considerable Portuguese artillery must have been lost and probably a number of prisoners. In the retirement of the French to the line of the Ailette river two French battlions were cut off and the Germans took about 2000 prisoners. Armentieres is now little more than a heap of ruins and its loss would not be a vital matter. It is not lost yet and we hope it will not be, but it may be."

AVIATION PROGRAM MISREPRESENTER, CLAIM

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Charging that government officials have "misrepresented the progress of the aviation program," and "misled the public," the Senate Military Affairs committee today demanded that the aircraft production be taken out of the hands of the signal corps and given to "one executive officer appointed by the President and responsible to him."

SEDITION BILL PASSED BY SENATE

WASHINGTON, April 10.—With numerous modifications, the Senate, without a roll call, this afternoon passed the sedition bill, designed ostensibly to arm the Department of Justice with more drastic authority in rounding up spies and disloyalists. The action came with surprising abrubtness after a week of bitter debate.

DRAFTED FARMERS RECEIVE FURLOUGH

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Orders were issued today by Provost General Crowder to furlough men home for agricultural pursuits, provided such furloughs does not interfere with the military training of the persons effected.

283 ON LARGEST CASUALTY LIST

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The largest casualty list for any day since the United States entered the war was announced by the War Department today. There are 283 names on the list.

Five men were killed in action, three died of wounds, eleven died of disease, seven died from accidents, ten were severely wounded, 245 were wounded slightly and two were missing in action.

Thirteen lieutenants were among the men wounded.

12,000 ADDITIONAL MEN TO BE DRAFTED

WASHINGTON, April 10—Twelve thousand selective service men, in addition to the 150,000 already called, will be called to start for training camps April 26, Provost Marshal General Crowder today announced.

MEXICAN RAIDERS KILLED BY U. S. TROOPS

EL PASO, Tex., Apri 10.—Three Mexican raiders were killed near Fort Hancock, Tex., last night when American troops fired on a band of armed Mexicans who crossed the line, according to a message received here today.

SENATOR STONE PARALYSIS VICTIM

WASHINGTON, April 10—Senator Stone of Missouri, chairman of the Foreign Relations committee, was stricken with paralysis today while riding in a street car en route to his office in the capitol.

Be Kind to Animals Week

The week of April 15th to 21st will be observed all over the United States as "Be Kind to Animals Week."

Every pulpit in America will speak on "Be Kind to Dumb Animals," and in line with this the local pulpits will also speak in behalf of the dumb brutes, as Richmond pastors are all up-to-date on this question.

News office employes could only afford to take eight Liberty Bonds this drive, but hope to take more next time.

NO PEACE UNTIL U. S. DICTATES IT

CHICAGO, April 10.—Speaking to more than 1500 delegates assembled at the sixth annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, Chas. S. Hamlin of the Federal Reserve Board said tonight there would be no victory in the world war, until the entire strength of the United States army and navy had been transferred to Europe. Speaking as the representative of Secretary McAdoo, he said:

Don't let this talk of a permature peace mislead you. The only peace that we shall see will be dictated, in large part, by General Pershing and the United States army.

ODD FELLOWS WILL BUY $500 BONDS

Twilight Lodge of Odd Fellows met at Moose Hall last night and conferred the first degree on E. W. Hancha. The work was ably put on by Eclipse lodge.

The lodge voted to buy $500 worth of Liberty Bonds, and will hold an open meeting next Wednesday evening in the interests of the bonds, they having secured the services of five able speakers.

A Red Cross entertainment will be held April 26th, the 99th anniversary of the founding of Odd Fellows. Eclipse and Twilight lodges will combine forces on this. The committee of arrangements consists of R. H. Curry, chairman; E. K. Gillette, E. Betts and R. Dornan.

A service flag with eleven stars was hung in the lodge room, representing Dr. C. L. Abbott, F. E. Bollun, C. Smith, E. George, N. Pleich, A. L. Finley, A. S. Temple, W. MacDonnell, H. Fenton and I. George.

Improvement Club Buys $50 Bond

The South Richmond Improvement Club met at the home of Mrs. W. L. Lane, 219 South Fifth street, yesterday afternoon and disposed of considerable business, also laid plans for the final furnishing and occupation of their clubhouse within a week or so.

The buying of a $50 Liberty Bond was also voted for. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. G. Edward, 317 South Third street, next Wednesday afternoon.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

MITE BOX OPENING

The Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. Church will hold a Mite Box opening at the church parlors tomorrow afternoon. The opening will be in charge of Mrs. J. O. Weston, the secretary of the boxes.

A delightful program will be enjoyed and light (war) refreshments served by a committee, with Mrs. C. E. Adams as chairman.

LIBERTY BOND SUBSCRIBERS INCREASE

Bond Drive is in Full Swing in Every District

Meetings were held in the interests of the Liberty Loan at Pullman shops and the Certain-teed Products works, where the men were addressed by Nelson Wellbarn. The talk was very enthusiastically received and nearly all promised to buy bonds.

The Standard Oil Company will assist the employes in the purchase of bonds in the same manner as they did the last issue. The plan is that employes will be able to pay for a $50 bond at $2 a month.

Mayor Kirk E. Gray of El Cerrito is heading a committee making a thorough house to house canvas in that district.

Every member of the Stauffer Chemical Company bought bonds.

Seventy-five per cent of the men at the Pullman shops have bought bonds and before the drive ends they expect to make it 100 per cent.

J. Boquet and J. Regello worked among the Portuguese at San Pablo all day yesterday, with splendid results.

Good Work by Volunteers

Mrs. A. Binckley of 624 Fifteenth street, and Mrs. M. M. White of 655 Seventeenth street, both volunteer workers for the Liberty Bond, secured $500 worth of bonds in the residential district from the following persons: Pauline Zirteu, Alice Marsh, Emma Perry, Edgley B. McMahon, J. Johns, Josephine McMahon, W. B. White and R. Linebaugh.

Mrs. Wise Suicide Is Jury's Verdict

A verdict of "strychnine poisoning administered by her own hand while mentally deranged" was made by the coroner's jury at the inquest over the remains of Mrs. Aldrine Wise last night.

Judge Roth conducted the inquest in the absence of Coroner C. L. Abbott, while the jury was composed of S. H. Cunningham, foreman; F. R. Cooley, L. G. Linnell, P. G. Moore, H. C. Lee, George Robertson and W. San Cartier.

The inquest was held at the Smallwood Undertaking Parlors. Mrs. Wise died Sunday night.

Miss Vesta Gillette, a student at the U. C., will take part in the concert held by the Treble Cleft at the U. C. Friday evening. Miss Vesta has a delightful voice and her singing is a feature at the First M. E. Church, of which her fater is pastor.

BRITISH DIVER TOLL LOWEST RECORDED

LONDON, April 10—The sinking of British merchantmen by mines or submarines last week reached the next lowest level of any week since Germany began her intensive submarine campaign early in 1917. Four vessels of more than 1600 tons, two of less than 1600 tons and two fishing boats—during the week ending March 30—were sent to the bottom . Eleven vessels were unsuccessfully attacked. There were 2,534 arrivals and 2,495 departures.

Paris reports only two French merchantmen, both over 1600 tons, were sunk during the week ending April 6.

IS CONDEMNED MEAT SOLD IN RICHMOND?

A stock dealer here yesterday from near Stockton said that he frequently shipped beef cattle to this vicinity which would not pass the inspection at Stockton, but would not say to whom he sold them, nor how they were put on the market.

Hearing this, we went over and asked Mr. Ludewig, the old-time market man here, what he thought about that. He said it was quite possible; that while all his meat came under Alameda county inspection, which was more rigid than even in San Francisco, there were slaughter houses in this county which came under no inspection, until the product should reach a town, and then the local authorities would inspect it. Ludewig said that it was possible, if such a dealer should be so inclined, to evade the local inspection in certain instances. For instance, if it were found that the lungs, liver or some such part was diseased, as it frequently is, they could be cut out and those from a healthy animal be substituted.

Meat coming under the Alameda county inspection, however, he said, had to be strictly all right in every respect or they went to the fertilizing plant.

It would seem that this is a matter which the county board of health should investigate.

Lunch Counter Proceeds For R. C.

The entire proceeds from the lunch counter conducted by the Ladies Aid of the First M. E. Church near the Standard will be turned over to the Red Cross April 19. It is hoped that every one will need something from there on that day to help swell the fund. The ladies raised $40 for the Y. M. C. A. drive some time ago and expect to do considerably better this time.

City Clerk Deadrich has passed the dangerous state with his German measles and expects to be back at work Monday.

THE WAR GARDEN BOARD MEETS AND TALKS DETAIL

President Reported Good Progress and Enlistment Committees Will Now Get Busy

At a meeting of the War Garden Board last night at Chamber of Commerce Hall a few of the faithful gathered, and we were glad to see some present who had not attended before. Such matters always begin small, with one or two live ones to start, and then later on they spread and grow as the interests intensifies, and finally big results are achieved. This is always the case. The public, as such, is slow to move or enthuse, but means well and in due time generally "comes across." Those who start things going know this, and so are not discouraged because there is a poor showing at the start. The war garden movement in Richmond is growing, and in another few weeks will be working fine.

President Reports

The president reported that teams were plowing on old cultivated land, half a dozen blocks of it, and would commence harrowing today. Then the replowing and planting of potatoes would begin, not later than Monday. Other teams have been engaged, he said, to commence plowing in other places, also old land, Friday morning, and this also would be planted to potatoes.

Immediately after the potatoes were in the plowing would go forward for beans, and this land has not been cultivated for years, and so presents a knotty problem. However, it will be well disked as well as plowed, and as there is much moisture in the ground now it is thought that a fairly good crop of beans can be raised on it, and then it will be in all the better condition for next year.

Enlistment Committee

All those present at the meeting were given printed enlistment blanks, and they will get busy at once soliciting enlistments to the War Garden Regiment. It is necessary to raise about $300 to pay for plowing, harrowing, disking, planting and seed potatoes and beans, with some incidental expenses, and it is expected that donations of $3 in lieu of a day's work on the part of many citizens all over the county will make up this needed sum. One of the members present, Mr. Sanford the realty man, was so stubborn that he would not give $3—he gave $10 instead. All those who are at work upon this splendid project, and who have pledged themselves to do all they can to load and said that ship from Richmond to France next fall, earnestly urge all citizens of the town and county to help.

Every Day Counts

Councilman Ogborn called attention to the fact that every day counts double just now, which is realized. The crops must be got in at once or not at all, hence the hurry.

Councilman Watson volunteered to get members of the city administration to enlist, and a number, also, at the oil works, and he was instructed to report all slackers to Captain Oscar Long, who will put them up apainst the Home Guard firing squad.

Mrs. Osborn was appointed a committee of one to get prices on potatoes in bulk for seed at once, and this she will proceed to do.

Alba Heald and Willard Pogue were present from two of the banks and Harry Solto sent word he would attend regularly henceforth, but had a previous engagement. They are now armed with enlistment blanks.

At the suggestion of Dr. Blake Joseph Nicholi will be called in for expert advice, he being an old-time and successful farmer of this vicinity, and this will be done today. Mr. Nicholi donated a lot of land to the city last year.

Secretary Ames is talking it up to many he meets all over the county during his C. of C. membership drive, and is a hard worker, full of pep, and obtaining results. He had a lot of offers on hand last night from people who are willing to donate their land.

The next meeting will be held next Wednesday evening, unless it becomes necessary to call a special.

Please read the enlistment blank on the first page of this paper, cut it out, sign it and send or hand it in to the News office or to Secretary Ames.

Subway Problem Near Solution

City Attorney D. J. Hall was in San Francisco Tuesday before the Railroad Commission concerning the subway problem. The matter has been placed in the hands of the engineering department of the commission and all things point to a satisfactory solution of same.

Suit of Ejection

Mrs. Paulin Solache is bringing suit in the Superior Court at Martinez for the ejection from premises of Mrs. Julia A. San Cartier, claiming that she violated the terms of the contract for the lease of the Alta Apartments.

The suit was filed by Attorney Horner.

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It is proposed to sail a Government ship out of the new Richmond Harbor to France, laden with food for our soldiers. Richmond will raise about half enough to fill that ship and other communities all over the county will furnish the other half. The Sugar Factory, Canneries and others will donate liberally to the supply. It will be a great day when that ship sails.

Every ablebodied man is asked to enlist in this War Garden Regiment, to the extent of one day's work, the work to be given when called by the Board. Those who cannot give the day's work will be furnished a substitute for $3.00. Which will you do? Please sign your name and address below.

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THINGS ABOUT TO HAPPEN

April 16—Jazz dance by the Zephyr Rebekah lodge at Fraternal Hall. Tickets 25 cents.

April 23—Cabaret party by Native Daughters of the Golden West at Pythian Castle.

News Classified Ads

FOR SALE—5-room modern dwelling, lot 28x100; 2 blocks to car line; $2250, and terms to suit. J. H. PLATE, 610 Macdonald ave. Phone 170. 78ts5

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LITERARY GEMS

That is what a number of the brightest men of America have said of the Thinkograph. It will soon be out of print and then you cannot get it at all. The News still has a few bound volumes at cost price, 50 cents, and suggests that you put one in your library before it is too late. tf

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The Editor Says:

POLITICS AND GRAFT

There is no reasonable doubt but what there is a lot of rotten political graft going on in California that ought to be cut out. That this is also more or less true all over the country and all over the world is no excuse for California. And, from all appearance, it is worse in California than it is almost anywhere else. This is proven by the fact that taxation per capita in California is higher than in any other state in the Union, except one, which is Pennsylvania, a state which has always had the reputation, politically, of stealing anything not spiked down or red hot.

The people of California are a lot of easy marks, or they would not submit to this state of affairs. It is not necessary, and is altogether wrong. There ought to be and has got to be an uprising among the rank and file of the voters before this disgraceful management of things political will ever be remedied, even a little. In fact, it is getting worse all the time.

It is impossible for a newspaper to be specific in an acquisition of this kind, as the political grafter is keen in covering up his tracks and is hard to catch, but the very fact of our enormous taxation proves the charge in a general way.

When Hiram Johnson ran for governor on the platform, "Kick the S. P. Out of Politics," he showed up an awful condition of political affairs in this state, and the people rose up and responded, and did kick Herrin and the S. P. out of politics, which was a good thing well done. Then, as is characteristic of people, they went to sleep and have been asleep ever since, with the result that a new and worse system of political graft has grown up and fastened itself upon the state and the pocketbooks of the masses.

A commission form of government was inaugurated, and it worked fine for a while, but now a number of these state commissions need weeding out very bad—they are grafting to the tune of hundreds of thousands of dollars, or all signs fail.

Taxation of the people is getting beyond the bounds of all reason, and there is no other way of accounting for it except by mismanagement or graft, and either are bad—in fact, damnable.

The probable reason for this lies in the fact that all, or at least many, of these state commissions comprise a huge state political machine, and they play politics more than they do anything else. Hundreds of people are given positions—sinecures—with salaries attached, for political reasons only, and these supernumeraries draw down thousands upon thousands continually for no other reason on earth than that they have some political pull or other, can muster a certain amount of votes for the "machine" each election, and all that sort of thing. They are like these "swivel chair officers" which old Joe Cannon told about in Congres a few days ago, who wear spurs to keep their feet from sliding off their desks. There are hundreds of swivel chair politicians and their satellites all over California holding down salaried jobs who ought to be out hoeing potatoes, or going over to France, just as there are a lot of upstarts wearing spurs who ought to be in the trenches.

This does not apply to the honest man who is holding a political position, and doing his work and duty in earning the same, and therefore no honest man need take umbrage at it, and will not, but by the ever living gods it does apply to hundreds of lickspittles in this state, as well as in other states, who do not earn the salt on their potatoes, and are not worth the price of the powder it would take to blow them into where they justly belong.

Take, for instance, the state highway. The stupendous sum of THIRTY-THREE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS HAS BEEN VOTED by the people for this one purpose. Just stop and think of that sum of money for a moment. A large part of it was voted about eight years ago, and yet the state highway is nowhere near completed—but in the meantime and all those years a small army of political road-builders have been using up money by the barrelful as salaries. We do not pretend to know anything about road building, but have a hunch that if given $33,000,000 we could build in eight years a road from here to Oshkosh, Hong Kong or any other old place.

Today's dispatches are full of mighty bad accusations against the State Council of Defense, by the former secretary. We know nothing of their truth or otherwise, but it has the appearance of being a nasty mess and more or less of a political graft, judging from what the official says, and it does not seem probable that he would go into public print with such charges unless there was some foundation somewhere for some of it.

As a remedy for this state of affairs the News suggests that the pople hold a political revolution again this fall, elect Francis Heney governor, and turn a lot of rascals out, the same as was done when Hiram Johnson applied the hobnailed boot to Herrin and the Espee.

Elcho Club Notes

Jack Crow, the incomparable piano player, has joined the Elcho Club.

Don't forget that big Elcho dance at East Shore Park April 20. The Elcho Club has Dolan's wonderful jazz orchestra, and don't forget the little Elcho queen, Glorie Osborn, also plays the piano for Dolan's orchestra.

The Elcho Club sure has some quartet to be proud of in such good singers as Barney Robertson, James Rasmussen, James O'Rourke, Walter McGowan and Glorie Osborne, who accompanys the quartet in singing and playing the piano.

President H. J. Hennessey of the Elcho's made a wonderful speech at the club social night, and was given a hearty applause by all present.

Shamrock McGowan gave some Italian impersonations and songs social night, and he sure was a treat Shamrock was the best Italian impersonator since Beban played here some years ago.

ACANTHA INITIATION

The Acantha Chapter of the O. E. S. will hold an initiation at Bank Hall tomorrow evening, which will be followed by light refreshments and dancing. The committees in charge are Mesdames Stiver, Armstead, Johnston Smallwood, Wilson, Marshall, Hollenbaugh, Parker, Mayfield, Rowlandw and Messrs. Johnston, Demond, Reese and Michaels.

Miss Geraldine Baldwin of Stockton is a visitor at the home of Mrs. C. E. Adams for a few days.

GOOD COFFEE

H. E. Somerville gave us a pound of coffee some time back, and we promised to try it out and pronounce judgment upon it, as we claim to be a good judge of coffee, but not of whisky—of late years.

We have been using Schilling's coffee, and it is good, as anyone knows who knows coffee, but it is high priced. This coffee Somerville is handling is the Geo. W. Caswell brand, and while it is considerably cheaper than Schillings, we pronounce it just as good. Mr. Somerville lives at 2458 Soito avenue and makes delivery of tea and coffee by automobile.

DESTITUTE FAMILY HELPED

The Social Service Bureau hearing of the dire circumstances in which the Caetano family at Bay View was in, got busy and supplied them with clothing and food and other necessities.

The father and a little girl were taken to the county hospital at Martinez yesterday.

Look out for private grafts in buying patriotic emblems, banners and the like. Several such grafts are being worked, the buyers supposing that it is for the benefit of some patriotic cause, when such is not the case.

Mrs. Helen Bernabi, 2217 Nevin avenue, is the mother of a 7-pound baby boy, who was born Saturday morning. Dr. W. E. Cunningham was in attendance. Both mother and child are doing well.

MIRAMAR CHAPTER BUYS BONDS

Miramar Chapter, O. E. S., voted to buy a $50 Liberty Bond at their last meeting.

Arrangements were also made for a whist party for the benefit of the Red Cross, May 3, at Fraternal Hall.

INTERMEDIATE C. E. SOCIAL

The Intermediate Christian Endeavorers of the First Christian Church will hold their social and business meeting at the church parlors tomorrow evening. A short program will be arranged and light refreshments to follow.

W. C. T. U. MEETS

The W. C. T. U. completed plans at their last meeting for the institution that is to be held here at the Calvary Baptist Church May 6. They met at the First Christian Church and enjoyed a pleasant afternoon.

MISSIONARR MEETING

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Wesley M. E. church will hold an all-day meeting tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Kinnear, 638 Eighteenth street.

Quilting will be the work of the day and the Lenten offerings will be taken up. All are welcome to attend.

Mr. Tull of the Santa Fe dropped in and gave us half a block of lots to plow up for the war garden. They are right alongside of our 2x4 ranch. He said they have eight new young lady clerks in the office now, taking the place of young men who are in the army, and that the girls give good service.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS No. 4305

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES CHAPMAN, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administratrix of the Estate of James Chapman, deceased, to the creditors of and to all persons having claims against said decedent or his estate to file them with the necessary vouchers in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Contra Costa, said Court being the Court from which Letters of Administration were issued, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers to the undersigned Administratrix at her place of business to wit: The law office of Orville E. Jackson at the corner of 23rd and Macdonald Avenue, in Richmond, Contra Costa County, California, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated April 9, 1918.

HELEN A. CHAPMAN,
Administratrix of the Estate of James Chapman, deceased.
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FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1918,

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

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No person shall be entitled to vote at any of the above elections unless he registers on or before the above dates.

You may register with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated February 1st, 1918.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County.

The following named persons are Registration Deputies:

A. C. Faris, Chief Deputy, City Hall, Richmond.
Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington Ave., Richmond.
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SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

John Richofsky, plaintiff, vs. Anna Richofsky, defendant. Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and the Complaint filed in the offict of the Clerk of said County of Contra Costa, for Divorce.

The People of the State of California send Greeting to Anna Richofsky, defendant. You are hereby directed to appear, and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above brought against you in the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment against you for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, this 13th day of November, A. D. 1917.

(Superior Court Seal) J. H. WELLS, Clerk
By C. C. BARKER, Deputy Clerk.

To ANNA RICHOFSKY, the above named defendant, You are hereby notified that the foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order duly made and entered by Hon. A. B. McKenzie, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for Contra Costa County, on the 4th day of February, 1918.

Feb. 7, 10Wks.

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RESOLUTION NO. 1076

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND ORDERING THE CHANGE AND ESTABLISHMENT OF CERTAIN CURB GRADES IN THE CITY OF RICHMOND.

Be it Resolved by the Council of the City of Richmond, as follows:

WHEREAS, The Council of the City of Richmond did on the 25th day of February, 1918, duly pass its Resolution of Intention No. 327 to change and establish certain curb grades, and WHEREAS, the said Resolution was published in the Richmond News, the newspaper in which the official notices of the City Council of the City of Richmond are printed and published, the same being the newspaper designated in said Resolution, in the manner and for the time required by law, and WHEREAS, notices of the passage of said Resolution of Intention were conspicuously posted in the manner and at the time required by law; and WHEREAS, more than thirty days have elapsed since the first publication of said Resolution of Intention; and WHEREAS no objection or objections to said proposed change of grade have been filed with the Clerk of this Council;

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered that the curb grades in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, hereinafter mentioned be and the same are hereby changed and established as follows, to wit:

On the northerly side of COSTA AVENUE:

At a point 250 feet westerly from the westerly line of Twenty-third Street, from an elevation of 63.6 feet to an elevation of 63.2 feet; at the easterly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 54.8 feet to an elevation of 55.3 feet; at the westerly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 54.5 feet to an elevation of 55.4 feet; at a point 250 feet westerly from the westerly line of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 53.56 feet to an elevation of 53.2 feet; at the easterly side of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 52.6 feet to an elevation of 52.3 feet; at the westerly side of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 52.4 feet to an elevation of 52.0 feet; at the easterly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 51.0 feet to an elevation of 50.6 feet; at the westerly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 50.7 feet to an elevation of 50.2 feet; at a point 300 feet westerly from the westerly line of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 46.2 feet to an elevation of 45.6 feet; at the easterly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 45.2 feet to an elevation of 45.0 feet; at the westerly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 45.0 feet to an elevation of 44.8 feet; at a point 250 feet westerly from the westerly line of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 43.19 feet to an elevation of 44.0 feet.

On the southerly side of COSTA AVENUE:

At a point 250 feet westerly from the westerly line of Twenty-third Street, from an elevation of 63.6 feet to an elevation of 63.2 feet; at the easterly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 54.8 feet to an elevation of 55.6 feet; at the westerly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 54.5 feet to an elevation of 55.2 feet; at a point 250 feet westerly from the westerly line of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 53.56 feet to an elevation of 52.8 feet; at the easterly side of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 52.6 feet to an elevation of 51.8 feet; at the westerly side of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 52.4 feet to an elevation of 51.6 feet; at the easterly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 51.0 feet to an elevation of 50.3 feet; at the westerly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 50.7 feet to an elevation of 49.8 feet; at a point 300 feet westerly from the westerly line of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 46.2 feet to an elevation of 45.5 feet; at the easterly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 45.2 feet to an elevation of 44.8 feet; at the westerly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 45.0 feet to an elevation of 44.4 feet; at a point 250 feet westerly from the westerly line of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 43.95 feet to an elevation of 43.6 feet.

On the northerly side of HELLINGS AVENUE:

At the easterly side of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 50.8 feet to an elevation of 50.6 feet; at the westerly side of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 50.5 feet to an elevation of 50.3 feet.

On the southerly side of HELLINGS AVENUE:

At the westerly side of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 50.6 feet to an elevation of 50.4 feet; at the easterly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 47.0 feet to an elevation of 47.4 feet; at the westerly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 46.8 feet to an elevation of 47.2 feet.

On the northerly side of COALINGA AVENUE:

At the westerly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 54.7 feet to an elevation of 54.8 feet; at a point 300 feet westerly from the westerly line of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 52.81 feet to an elevation of 53.6 feet; at a point 300 feet westerly from the westerly line of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 48.0 feet to an elevation of 47.5 feet; at the easterly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 46.4 feet to an elevation of 46.8 feet; at the westerly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 46.3 feet to an elevation of 46.8 feet; at a point 300 feet westerly from the westerly line of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 44.67 feet to an elevation of 45.5 feet; at the easterly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 43.2 feet to an elevation of 42.5 feet; at the westerly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 43.0 feet to an elevation of 42.0 feet; at a point 300 feet westerly from the westerly line of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 39.89 feet to an elevation of 40.3 feet.

On the southerly side of COALINGA AVENUE:

At the easterly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 55.0 feet to an elevation of 54.6 feet; at the westerly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 54.7 feet to an elevation of 54.4 feet; at a point 300 feet westerly from the westerly line of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 52.69 feet to an elevation of 53.3 feet; at a point 300 feet westerly from the westerly line of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 47.8 feet to an elevation of 47.0 feet; at the easterly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 46.2 feet to an elevation of 46.5 feet; at the westerly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 46.0 feet to an elevation of 46.3 feet; at a point 200 feet westerly from the westerly line of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 44.76 feet to an elevation of 45.5 feet; at the easterly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 43.2 feet to an elevation of 43.0 feet; at the westerly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 43.0 feet to an elevation of 42.5 feet; at a point 300 feet westerly from the westerly line of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 39.91 feet to an elevation of 41.0 feet.

On the northerly side of VISALIA AVENUE:

At the easterly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 54.4 feet to an elevation of 54.2 feet; at the westerly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 54.1 feet to an elevation of 54.0 feet; at the easterly side of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 49.3 feet to an elevation of 49.5 feet; at a point 250 feet westerly from the westerly line of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 46.2 feet; at the easterly side of Seventeenth Stret, from an elevation of 45.6 feet to an elevation of 45.4 feet; at the westerly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 45.4 feet to an elevation of 45.2 feet; at the easterly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 42.8 feet to an elevation of 43.5 feet; at the westerly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 42.5 feet to an elevation of 43.0 feet.

On the southerly side of VISALIA AVENUE:

At the easterly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 54.6 feet to an elevation of 54.4 feet; at the westerly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 54.3 feet to an elevation of 54.0 feet; at the easterly side of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 49.3 feet to an elevation of 49.5 feet; at a point 250 feet westerly from the westerly line of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 47.11 feet to an elevation of 46.4 feet; at the easterly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 45.6 feet to an elevation of 45.4 feet; at the westerly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 45.4 feet to an elevation of 45.2 feet; at the easterly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 42.8 feet to an elevation of 43.5 feet; at the westerly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 42.5 feet to an elevation of 43.0 feet.

On the southerly side of VISALIA AVENUE:

At the easterly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 54.6 feet to an elevation of 54.4 feet; at the westerly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 54.3 feet to an elevation of 54.0 feet; at the easterly side of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 49.3 feet to an elevation of 49.5 feet; at a point 250 feet westerly from the westerly line of Eighteenth Street, from an elevation of 47.11 feet to an elevation of 46.4 feet; at the easterly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 45.6 feet to an elevation of 45.4 feet; at the westerly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 45.4 feet to an elevation of 45.2 feet; at the easterly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 42.8 feet to an elevation of 43.5 feet; at the westerly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 42.5 feet to an elevation of 43.0 feet.

On the southerly side of ESMOND AVENUE:

At the easterly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 44.2 feet to an elevation of 44.8 feet; at the westerly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 43.9 feet to an elevation of 44.4 feet.

On the southerly side of ESMOND AVENUE:

At the easterly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 57.5 feet to an elevation of 57.7 feet; at the westerly side of Twentieth Street, from an elevation of 57.2 feet to an elevation of 57.4 feet; at the easterly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 44.2 feet to an elevation of 44.7 feet; at the westerly side of Seventeenth Street, from an elevation of 43.9 feet to an elevation of 44.2 feet; at the easterly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 40.6 feet to an elevation of 40.3 feet; at the westerly side of Fifteenth Street, from an elevation of 40.3 feet to an elevation of 40.0 feet.

On the easterly side of FIFTEENTH STREET:

At a point 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Esmond Avenue, from an elevation of 40.5 feet to an elevation of 40.7 feet.

On the westerly side of FIFTEENTH STREET:

At a point 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Esmond Avenue, from an elevation of 40.15 feet to an elevation of 40.3 feet.

On the westerly side of EIGHTEENTH STREET:

At a point 100 feet southerly from the northerly line of Hellings Avenue, from an elevation of 50.25 feet to an elevation of 50.3 feet.

The grades ordered to be changed in this Resolution are those established by Resolution No. 949 of the Council of the City of Richmond, and shown on map entitled "Grade Map No. 87" being a part of Resolution No. 949, to which reference is hereby made.

The curb grades between any grade point established herein and the next nearest grade point on the same side of the same street, whether established hereunder or by any other ordinance or resolution now in effect, shall be a uniform grade between such points.

All elevations given herein are in feet above the City Base, as established in Ordinance No. 42 of the City of Richmond.

The Map entitled "Grade Map No. 95" is hereby made a part of this Resolution, and all subject matter thereon is incorporated herein.

The Clerk of the City of Richmond shall cause this resolution to be published for two days in the Richmond News, a daily newspaper published and circulated in said city in the manner required by law, said newspaper being the official newspaper of the City of Richmond, and the paper in which the official notices of the City Council are usually printed and published.

All resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly passed and adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond, at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 8th day of April, 1918, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmen Long, Geriach, Fernald, Osborn, Watson, Garrard, Hartnett and Lane.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: Councilman Picton.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of the City of Richmond, this 9th day of April, 1918.

Approved:
W. L. LANE, Mayor.

A. C. FARIS,
Clerk of the City of Richmond. (SEAL)

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(SEAL)

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Richmond, Dec. 19, 1917.

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REALTY TRANSFERS

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Charles D. Walker to O. C Rush, deed, half interest in lot 4, block 11, Spaulding Richmond Pullman Townsite.

Harbor Business Blocks Co. to Henry Williams and Jennie R. York, deed, lot 24, block 10, Harbor Business Blocks.

Contra Costa Realty Co. to Rose Brown, deed, lot 20, block 7, Alvaradoo Tract.

The Richmond Co., Inc., to Mrs. S. E. Bowden, deed, lots 33 and 34, block 5, Andrade Home.

Norman E. and Gertrude Anderson to E. H. Kueffer, deed, lots 2 and 3, block 5, Richmond Park.

E. H. and Elise J. M. Kueffer, to Norman E. and Gertrude Anderson, deed, lots 19, 20, 21, 22, block 2, Richmond Park.

New Richmond Land Co. to Mas M. Compton, deed, lot 6, block 147, Walls Addn.

Phil H. and Ethol E. Stein to Anna J. Shaw, deed, lots 25, 26, 27, block 26, Bay View Park.

Dora and T. P. Fay to Annie M. Kineker, deed, lots 9 and 10, block 5; lot 9, block 26, Hermann's Addn. to Point Richmond.

Palen Church to Math. Wagner, deed, lot 34, block 16, City of Rcchmond.

C. J. and Florence L, J. L. and Hadel L. Rihn, G and Leonora Ghiglieri to Eva Gwyneth Graham, deed, lots 38 and 39, block 1, Industrial Center Tract.

Richmond Annex Land Co. to Walter S. Kendal l,deed, lots 35 and 36, Richmond Annex.

John R. Nystrom Co. to Allan Locke, deed, lot 4, block 3, Richmond Harbor Addn.

John R. Nystrom Co. to W. S. Beeman, deed, des lot Nystrom's Add. to Richmond.

Bouquest Land Co. to Frances G. Leix, deed, lot 9, block 18, Richmond City Center.

Owens Land Co. to Ralph E. Gardner, deed, lot 32, block 10, J. C. Owen's Addn. Richmond.

W. H. Spaulding to Julius H. Bemm, deed, lots 30 and 31, block 22, Spaulding, Richmond, Pullman Townsite.

SURPRISE PARTY

Miss Margaret Timmons of 547 Sixth street was tendered a pleasant surprsie party last night.

Numbers on the program were furnished by Miss Gloria Osborne, Jack Crow, and the Elcho Quartet. A supper followed.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Timmons, Arthur Timmons, Mary and Margaret Timmons, Winnie Champion, Gloria Osborn, Doris Ferguson of San Pablo, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hennessey, Mrs. Winsby, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crow, Barney Robertson, Bill Maloney, Paul Iverson, Gene Downey and Jmes Rasmussen.

FAREWELL PARTY

A farewell party was tendered to R. H. McEachern Tuesday evening at 623 Ninth street, in honor of his departure for San Diego, where he will join the Naval Reserve. A pleasant time was enjoyed by the following with games and refreshments: Mr. and Mrs. White, Miss White, Mr. and Mrs. Voller, Mr. and Mrs. Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Perry. A handsome wrist watch was presented to McEachern by his friends.

Word has been received from Duncan Campbell, who is recovering from erysipelas in a New York hospital, that he is waiting for his furlough to return home to recuperate.

Jack Barry, former Richmond fireman, is still with the fire squad at Camp Kearny.

Many From Here Attend Grand Cour

The Court of Amarath, a Mason order, are holding a grand court the Scottish Rite Temple in Oaklan yesterday and today. It is being a tended by many Richmond membe of Harmony Court of Amarath.

The delegates for same from Ha mony Court are: Mrs. Emmalie A tell, H. E. Jacobs and Mrs. Cora Leonard. Others attending from he are Mrs. J. G. Gerlach, Mrs. H. Ro ston, Mrs. T. B. Merritt, Mrs. M. Vance, Mrs. C. A. Odell, Mrs. Eliz beth Magee, Mrs. Anna Hunt, Mr. T. Olney, Misses Louise and An MacLoughlin, Miss Alma Sheppa and Miss Veda Wood.

Charles Ray in "The Hired Man"

Charles Ray's latest success, "The Hired Man," the attraction at the Richmond Theater today, was produced for Paramount by Thomas H. Ince, the noted producer of civilization" and other noted photo plays. The story was originally written by Julien Josephson, and deals with the difficulties that beset Ezry Hollins, a young fellow who works on a farm, in his efforts to better himself and make himself worthy of the pretty daughter of his "boss." There is included in the film scenes of a tremendous fire, wherein Ray plays a heroic part, and also scenes taken at the Los Angeles fair.

The last episode of the famous Italfan war pictures are also being shown today. These pictures have attracted more attention than any other pictures, due to their excellent film work and the character of the scenes presented.

Fiery Games at High School

FIERY GAMES

The freshmen fell under the furious onslaught of the sophomores Tuesday afternoon and were defeated 47 to 11 in the championship battle of the high school.

The sophomores really ought to be arrested for cruelty following that, but then they say that everything goes in love and war.

The games, as they now stand, are: Sophomores won three, lost none; freshmen won two out of three; seniors won one and lost one, while the juniors have lost three.

The next games will be tomorrow night.

It is rumored that after the championship is won by the boys the girls will challenge their right to it.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Henrietta Michaels of 329 Seventh street entertained the following guests with games, music and refreshments on Tuesday night on the occasion of her fourteenth birthday: Jennie Hodge, Isabelle and Grace Lucas, Eleanor Hart, Mae Hart and Betty and Ira Phimister.

Miss Irene Glover, late nurse at the Abbott Hospital, has secured a position in San Francisco.

loved ones, it was finally decided that with sufficient courage and enthusiasm any task, however hard, could be accomplished (and even the most pessimistic would have to admit there was plenty of both) and the bond was subscribed for then, as Mrs. Tefft, one of the members is a Liberty Bond volunteer.

At this juncture the hostess appeared with tea and cake, which was greatly enjoyed, and the cake would be a "joy forever" to the heart of Hoover. So they prevailed upon her to give them the recipe, which they are going to sell to raise the first payment, at least. So if you are approached with a request to invest a little of your loose change in this venture, don't refuse, as you will conserve wheat, sugar and flour by its use, will be delighted with the dessert and will help missions and your country with your money.

Those present were Misses Eve Lynn Haynes, Christina Dickenson, Nellie Beck, Frances Miller, Annie Dimock, Mrs. Era Howard, Mrs. Clerence Dunlap and Mrs. Chalmer Tefft.

Youngsters Arrested On Battery Charge

Four Pullman youngsters were arrested yesterday afternoon on a warrant sworn to by Bert Bussow charging battery, which he claims was administered him last Friday. The boys arrested were Nicholas George, Emil Halder, Elmer Ferrara and Carl Marken. They were released on $20 bail and their case will come before Judge Odell Friday morning.

Building News

The Mintzer Estate will start on what is to be an extensive building project in the way of new cottages on the West Side. They are to build a bungalow on Cottage avenue at a cost of $1800.

H. A. Sorenson will erert a cottage on Eighth street near Bissell at a cost of $900.

CHURCH BOARDS MEET

The Sunday School Board and the official board held their meetings at the parsonage last night and discussed various problems of the church. Arrangements were made for the lecture to be held Friday evening by Mr. Draper.

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